STREET REPAIR PUT UP TO CONGRESS

District Commissioners Asked Connecticut Avenue Pav-

ing 3 Years, Kutz Says.

Engineer Commissioner Kutz placed the blame for Connecticut avenue's condition squarely on Congress in a speech last night before the Chevy Chase Citizens' Association.

"For three years," he said, "the District Commissioners have endeavored to impress members of Congress with the need for permanent paving on Connecticut avenue. We have taken congressmen over the road time and again, showing the need of replacing the present macadam surface with concrete paving as far as Chevy Chase Circle. Each time our requested appropriation has been cut down.

"I do not intend that this should be interpreted as a criticism of Congress," he said. "Congress probably has reasons for cutting down the appropriation coch time. But the case of Connecticut avenue is true of other streets which we have somet to have streets which we have sought to have put in a condition of permanent re-pair. The District government can-not be blamed."

Reply to Criticism.

The Commissioner's remarks were made partly in reply to criticism of the District government for the unrepaired state of Connecticut avenue. They were called forth when a letter from Representative Zihlman of Maryland, addressed to a member of Maryland, addressed to a member of the association, was read. Mr. Zihlman characterized the unrepaired state of the highway as "deplorable," and stated that it was a reflection on the District and on Congress that more than 200 miles of road beyond the Maryland border in Chevy Chase did not contain a single yard of paving in such poor repair as that found within the District on Connecticut avenue.

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Mr. Zilhman cited his own efforts toward obtaining in appropriations funds sufficient to remedy not only Connecticut avenue, but other highways in the District.

Following Mr. Zihlman's letter one member after another rose and told stories of broken wheels on automobiles, blown-out tires, damaged machinery, all of them resulting from the holes in the surface of the roadway. Resolutions were passed praising the District government for the work which has been done on District roads with the funds in hand and clearing them of any blame for not repairing the streets in Washington.

Workers Paid More Than Foremen.

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sioner Kutz's attention to the alleged "loafing" of gangs of repairmen engaged in street work.

This is remedied immediately whenever it is called to the attention of the officials, Col. Kutz stated, but the trouble lies in obtaining foremen to supervise the work of the gangs.

"These foremen," said Col. Kutz, "are employes of the District government, and as such they have received "are employes of the District government, and as such they have received no advance in wages, with the exception of the \$240 bonus, since before the war. Members of their gangs, however, are hired as laborers by the government. We have to pay the gang members more than we do the foremen. The foremen insist on resigning their jobs and joining the gang."

Outlines Zoning System.

Commissioner Kutz outlined the and recommended that the citizens' association appoint a committee which would confer with the zoning com-mission. Such a committee was appointed. Resolutions addressed to the health department, the chief of po-lice and the District Commissioners requesting that no changes in Chevy Chase street grading be made with-out the consent of 50 per cent of the citizens in the community, were passed.
The meeting of the association was

prefaced by a meeting of the Eliza-beth V. Brown Community Association and the Public School and Home

EXCEEDS 10,000 MEMBERS.

Christian Missionary Society Prospers, Reports Show.

More than 10,000 members are now on the rolls of the Christian Mission-ary Society of Maryland, Delaware and the District, the organization of the Disciples of Christ in this section. according to a report made at yes-terday's session of the forty-third annual convention at the Ninth Street Christian Church.

Christian Church.

Reports presented showed a constituency of fifty-three congregations, which, during the past year, had contributed \$165,000 and received 1,341 new members. The churches with the largest memberships are Ninth Street, Washington, 1,548; Christian Temple, Baltimore, 1,389, and Vermont Avenue, Washington, 1,027. President B. H. Melton of Baltimore presided, and the officers retimore presided, and the officers re-porting were J. A. Scott, recording secretary; James M. Pickens, treasurer: Arthur G. Bishop, treasurer of committee on education: Rev. E. B. Bagby, superintendent of evangelism, and Rev. Henry F. Lutz, secretary-

evangelist.
In the Interchurch World Movement campaign, subscriptions so far reported by Disciples' churches in the Washington district amounted to \$134.332, in the Hagerstown district to \$39,649, and in the Baltimore dis-trict to \$38,200, a total of \$212,281.

DIPLOMAS TO BE BESTOWED.

class of 1920 of Sidwells' Friends
School will be held tomorrow night
at 8 o'clock at the Friends Meeting
House. The principal address will
be made by Dr. Rufus M. Jones of
Haverford College. Diplomas will be
presented by Thomas W. Sidwell.
The graduates are Inger Margrethe
Bryn, William Flournoy Rivers, Katherine Hine Fenning, Mary Weaver
Fox, Edythe Elizabeth McDowell,
Theima Beatrice Reeve, Harrison Thelma Beatrice Reeve, Harrison Wilson Straley and Constance Miriam

Real Estate Loans

No Commissions Charged

You can take 12 years to pay off your loan without the expense of renewing. \$1,000 for \$10 per month, including interest and principal, half of which is applied to reduction of debt. Larger or smaller loans at proportional rates.

Building Association Largest in Washington Assets Over \$6,000,000

Cor. Eleventh and E N.W. JAMES BERRY, President. JOSHUA W. CARR, Secretary. If you haven't sent your check to the Salvation Army mail it tonight.

LANSBURGH & BROTHER

Friday Bargain-Remnant Day

Seasonable Merchandise for Less Than Regular Prices

Friday Bargains WASH GOODS

\$1.00 45-inch Colored Swiss Organdie, Yard, 59c-A very fine, sheer grade, with a transparent, permanent finish. The colors are light blue, gray and black. About 25 pieces to sell at this 59c price. Friday only, yard... 75c 44-inch Imported Voile, Yard, 48c—In light shade of gray with a 48c—In light shade of gray with a two-ply tape edge. Very good quality. Lovely for dresses. 48c etc. Yard First Floor.

Friday Bargains-**UPHOLSTERY**

\$11.75 Couch Hammocks, \$8.75-Very comfortable and good looking: covered with khaki color cotton, soft excelsior mattress; just for \$8.75

\$1.75 Hardwood Settee, \$1.29-A well-made settee, that can be folded up when not in use; very \$1.29

\$1.85 Nottingham Curtains, Pair, \$1.49—Pretty lace curtains for your summer home; with a large variety of patterns to choose from; \$1.49 \$9.75 Grass Rugs, 6x9, \$7.75-Attractive stenciled grass rugs, in assorted designs and colors. Why not save the \$2.00? Friday, \$7.75

\$3.45 Grass Rugs, 36x72, \$1.98-Do you want to cut down the cost of beautifying your home—then take advantage of this offer; attractive stenciled designs.. \$1.98

> Women's \$1.00 Bloomers, 79c

Made of good quality pink batiste and finished with hand-embroidery. Priced special for Friday only.

Third Floor

Friday Bargains-DOMESTICS

\$2.75 Sleepwell Sheets, \$2.35-Just twenty dozen; splendid quality; free from dressing; handtorn; finished with 3-inch hems; double-bed size; regulation length. Friday, \$2.35

65c Sleepwell Pillowcases, Each, 55c-Fifty dozen; size 45x36 55c inches. While they last..... 55c 45c Unbleached Sheeting, 35c Yard yards wide; for single-bed sheets; the genuine, bearing original 75c label. Friday, yard......

Friday Bargains Miscellaneous

Novelty Bead Necklaces, Each, 29c — With medallion ornament. Very attrac- 29c

for ... Moire Handbags, \$3.95-Superior quality of moire silk. Fitted with purse and mirror, finished with large \$3.95 silk tassel First Floor

Friday Remnants Women's Gloves

16-button Black Silk Gloves, Pair, 79c-Sizes 51/2, 6 and 61/2 only. White in size 51/2 only. All perfect, good tricot quality. Just for Friday 79c

\$2.50 and \$2.78 Glace Gloves, Pair, \$1.65-About 130 pairs in broken sizes. White in all sizes; black in small sizes and a few sand in sizes 61/4 and 63/4. While they last, Friday...... \$1.65

Milanese Silk Gloves, Pair, \$1.00-2-clasp models, in black, white, pongee, mastic, gray and other shades. Perfect qualities, in broken \$1.00 lots and sizes. Pair.....

Friday Bargains— For Big and Little Girls

\$1.25 Children's Night Drawers, \$1.00—Made of very good muslin, with high and square necks; long or short sleeves. Sizes 2 to 8 \$1.00 \$2.95 Girls' Dresses, \$2.49—Pretty Gingham Dresses in plaid, stripes and solid colors. Many styles in sizes 7 to 14 years. Fri- \$2.49

Girls' Middy Skirts, \$1.00-Service-

able white linon skirts; full pleaten;

attached to waists; sizes 6 \$1.00 to 14 years; special, Friday

Third Floor.

Friday Remnants HOSIERY

Children's Fine Ribbed Stockings, Pair, 25c-These are broken lots and sizes in black and white only. Formerly priced from 39c to 55c. Friday 25c

Novelty Silk Stockings, Pair, \$2.59—Broken lots and sizes taken from our regular stock. They are thread and glove silk qualities. Regularly sold at from \$3.50 to \$4.50. \$2.59 FridayFirst Floor.

Friday Remnants—

Men's Dept.

\$8.00 White Silk Shirts, \$5.00-Only 10 in the lot, so be early if you want to share in this sale. Excellent quality for tubbing. In sizes \$5.00 15½ and 16 only. Each... \$5.00 60 Pairs Balbriggan Drawers, Each,

34, 36..... Shirts and Drawers, 65c-The drawers are knee length. Made of fine count pajama check

muslin. Sizes of silities, 36, 38. 65c 50c Men's Holeproof Hose, Pair, 29c—Good quality, in white and Palm Beach. Sizes 9½, 10 and 10½ 29c ment, 39c-Made of good quality large plaid muslin. Sizes of shirts are 34, 36 and 44. Sizes of drawers, are 34, 30 and 44. Sizes 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 42 and 44. For 39c

Friday S2.50 White Cambric Shirts, \$1.59— Very nice quality shirts; made with the stiff cuffs; in sizes 14, \$1.59

> 35c Huck Towels. Each, 29c

Size 18x38 inches; good quality-closely woven, very absorbent, finished with red bor-

First Floor.

Friday Bargains BEDWEAR

\$15.75 All Layer Felt Mattress, -\$12,95-Shown in blue and brown art ticking. Very comfortable, as they are soft and resilient. \$12.95

\$3.00 All Feather Pillows, \$2.29
Pair—Covered with blue art ticking. Soft and comfortable. Spe- \$2.29 cial for Friday, pair..... \$2.29 60x76 Gray Cotton Blankets, Pair, \$2.29-Suitable for summer use on single or three-quarter beds. With blue, pink and black bor- \$2.29 \$6.00 Satin Marseilles Spreads, \$5.00

-For double beds. Two very attractive designs. Excellent weight; they are easily \$5.00 laundered ... \$3.95 Full Size Crochet Spreads,

\$3.45—Two very effective patterns. Heavy weight. They wear \$3.45 Shown in white and pretty blue or pink plaids. Size 68x80, for double beds. Well known Hamilton brand. Spe- \$15.00 cial, pair..... Sixth Floor

Exceptional Price-Cutting on

Silk Taffeta Dresses

A Limited Number Withdrawn, From Higher-priced Lines and Marked \$12.50 A Limited Number With-

An offer that places at your disposal these smart Silk Taffeta Dresses for less than what they cost us. Here is the reason: There is only one style-a bouffant model with metal ribbon girdle; the blouse shows the basque over a rather plain skirt. Early shoppers will find a few Georgette dresses in this lot. All sizes for women and misses.

Second Floor-Lansburgh & Brother

A Remarkable Opportunity

48 Spring Suits

Will be Placed on Sale Friday at Less

Broken selections of Suits taken from our regular higher-priced lines; not a single one originally sold for less than \$35.00. Fashioned of good quality All-wool Velour Checks, Navy Blue Serges and Tan Wool Velours; lined with plain color or novelty silks. We expect this lot to go in record time-make your selection early. Second Floor-Lansburgh & Brother

> You'll Find These on the Main Floor Bargain Square Tomorrow

New Tailored and Trimmed Hats



Priced Under Their Regular Value at

A large assortment of specially purchased Tailored Hats of white Java straw with rough straw flange. These were purchased very much below their real value, and will be offered the same way; we have added 150 Trimmed Hats, taken from our regular higher priced lines. There are many styles for selection-at \$1.95. Second Floor.

Women's Nainsook Night Robes

Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 Values

A large variety of styles in Night Robes of white nainsook, trimmed with lace and embroidery, hand-embroidery and ribbon beadings. One of the many styles sketched.

The special price for Friday only.



Bungalow Aprons Our Regular \$2.95 Values

This special for Friday, offers choice of our entire \$2.95 line of Women's Bungalow House Dress Aprons in regular and extra sizes. Made of fine quality Ginghams and Percales-slipover models, button front and side effects; large pockets and belts.

Coming Saturday---A Sale of "Sub-Standards" of Women's

Full-Fashioned Silk Hose

"Sub-standards" are sold at much less than usual, because of some trivial fault. The wear and appearance are not harmed in the least, how-The Stockings in this particular lot-some

3,600 pairs-are exceptionally attractive as to quality, weave and PRICE. Wait and watch for

Sale announcement in tomorrow evening's Star. Hirst Floor-Lansburgh & Brother

Friday Bargains-

S-I-L-K-S

40-inch Figured Georgette Crepe, Yard, \$2.49—Over 50 styles in both light and dark backgrounds. Very good for blouses and \$2.49 dresses Extra special.... \$2.49 dresses Extra special.... \$2.49 do-lnch All-Silk Crepe Meteor, Yard, \$2.69—A soft draping quality. In light and dark shades. \$3.69 do-lnch All-Silk Crepe de Chine, Yard, \$1.69—Very good weight for Yard, \$1.69-Very good weight for

dresses, blouses and lingerie. In light and dark shades, \$1.69
Extra special, yard.

33-inch All-Silk Japanese Pongee.
Yard, \$1.29—Heavy weight for ladies' and children's wear. Also very good for men's shirts. Special, \$1.29

Third Floor.

Friday Remnants Wash Goods

Regularly Sold up to \$1.00 a Yard

49c

In the wake of a very busy week in our Wash Goods Seculation of short lengths of de-sirable Wash Goods. This assortment includes printed and plain voiles, ginghams, chambrays, Japanese crepes, voiles, swisses, etc. Regardless of former prices, all have been gathered in one large lot and marked for clearance at 49c a

First Floor.

Friday Remnants Knit Underwear

50c to 75c Women's Union Suits, 39c—In sizes 34 and 36 only. Bleached ribbed union suits, crochet top, lace and shell knee style. Friday 39c -In sizes 4, 5 and 6. Bleached fine ribbed pants and tights, in tight

sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12. Bleached fine ribbed union suits, crochet top, lace

Friday Remnants Satin Ribbon

In all colors, suitable for camisole straps, rosettes and for running through lingerie. Also other fancy ribbon nov-elties. Friday only, yard, 10c Nos. 1 and 11/2 Baby Ribbon, Piece, 10c-In yellow and gold, pink, blue and green; 10 yards to the piece..... 10c

Friday Bargains

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Pair
Cont Hangers, 5c. These are the folding wire kind. Very convenient for traveling.
Crown Snap Fasteners, 3 doz., 10c. In all sizes and in black and white. 3 doz. for.
Clinton Safety Pins, Doz., 6c. In all sizes. Dozen. 6c

Cotton Grosgrain Belting, 3
yards, 25c. In black and white,
alf widths. Three yards for...

4-1b. Boxes Dressmakers
Pins, Box, 22c. In all sizes.
Good points, box...

Cube Pins, 10c. Best quality in
jet, mat and assorted color
heads Cube jet, mat and assorted color heads. Cube

Celluloid Hair Pins. 2 Boxes,
15c. In straight and crimped styles. Two boxes for.

Shoe Trees, Pair, 10c. For shoes or slippers. With steel rod. Pair

Iron Holders, 3 for 25c. Made of asbestos and are good and heavy. Three for.

Bias Seam Tape, Piece, 10c. 6 yard pieces, in widths from 1 to 6. Piece

Sanitary Aprons, 50c. Very good quality. Friday special

First Floor.

Friday Bargains-

Boys' Coats \$5.00

from suits that sold from \$10.00 to \$16.50. Every boy needs an extra coat to slip on over the light duck trousers he wears in summertime. And these coats come in sizes from

87 Odd Mixture Coats.

6 Odd Serge Coats. 6 Odd Serge Middies.

10 Odd Spring Coats. 7 Odd Long Overcoats.

4 Odd Young Men's Top-Your Choice, \$5.00

Fifth Floor.

Friday Bargains-Dress Goods

Remnants-A large collection of Lighly desirable woolen dress goods, including 54-inch Navy Blue Serge, Tweeds, Broadcloth, Velours, Jer-sey, Shepherd Checks, Oxford Suit-

sey. Shepherd Checks, Oxford Suiting and many fine black and colored fabrics in lengths from 1¼ to 5 yards. Reduced regardless of \$2.79

100 Skirt Lengths Mohair—These are washable; colors guaranteed absolutely fast; light grounds with contrasting stripes; there are two-tone and tri-colored effects. The entire skirt length of 3½ 40 tire skirt length of 31/2 \$2.49

Black Serge-This is a very excep-tional offering, and in order to equalize distribution we limit each customer to one dress length. A guaranteed all-wool, first quality; non-crushable; excellent for one-piece dresses and separate skirts. \$1.19

Third Floor-Lausburgh & Brother

Broken Lots of Children's Sweaters

lot, but they include the coat and slip-over styles. These are composed of short lots and broken sizes from our regular stock and radically reduced for

clearance. Women's Sweaters, Special, \$2.95—In broken sizes; good quality. Specially priced for Friday while they \$2.95 last First Floor

Friday Bargains

Art Department

\$1.35 Stamped Combinations, \$1.00— Sizes 36 to 42. Made of good quality nainsook. Stamped in dainty designs for French em- \$1.00 broidery. Each \$2.50 Cretonne Pillow Tops, \$1.50-Also squares and scarfs, all neatly trimmed in fancy braid. Friday specially priced

54-inch Tan Scarfs, \$1.00-Made of heavy linen crash, finished with hem-stitched hem. Only 23 of them to offer at this price. Spe- \$1.00

Fifth Floor

Friday Bargains **Shoe Department**

Growing Girls' Pumps—In patent and dull leathers and white canvas; regular \$5.50 value; just for \$4.40 sizes 11/2 to 6; mostly narrow widths; offered at less than whole- \$2.49

Children's Play Sandals—Made of serviceable gray unfinished leather; perforated vamps; ankle strap; Goodyear welted soles: \$1.79 very special, pair......

Large Women, Attention!

Stylish Stout Blouses at ½ Price

When large women, who have a hard time to find good-looking Blouses at any price, have such an opportunity as this offered to them, we feel sure they will be here tomorrow. These are desirable, clean blouses of excellent quality Georgette crepe-beaded, embroid-ered, lace trimmed or tailored models; also Crepe de Chine Blouses. Colors-Flesh, white, bisque, gray, brown and navy. Sizes 441/2 to 561/2.

Second Floor-Lansburgh & Brother

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